

**WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:**

1. A liquid crystal display device comprising:
  - a liquid crystal display panel;
  - a driver circuit for driving the liquid crystal display panel;
  - a luminaire having at least one fluorescent lamp which is disposed so as to irradiate said liquid crystal display panel with light; and
  - at least one frame fixing said liquid crystal display panel and said luminaire,wherein said at least one frame has at least one opening or at least one notch corresponding to at least one electrical portion of said at least one fluorescent lamp.
2. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 1, further comprises a heat retaining means for said electrode portion of said fluorescent lamp.
- 3. A liquid crystal display device comprising:
  - a liquid crystal display panel;
  - a luminaire having at least one fluorescent lamp which is disposed so as to irradiate said liquid crystal display panel with light;
  - a housing containing at least said luminaire;
  - at least one lamp holder holding said at least one fluorescent lamp; and
  - at least one spacer provided between an outer surface of said lamp holder and a surface of another member which is different from said lamp holder.
4. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 3,
  - wherein the thermal conductivity of said spacer is equal to or lower than the thermal conductivity of said lamp holder.
5. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 3,

wherein the thermal conductivity of said at least one lamp holder is lower than the thermal conductivity of silicone rubber.

6. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 3,  
wherein said lamp holder has a plurality pores therein.

7. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 3,  
Wherein said housing has at least one opening or at least one notch  
corresponding to at least one electrode portion of said at least one fluorescent lamp.